

STATE OF VERMONT

SUPERIOR COURT

PROBATE DIVISION

Unit

Docket No.

In re ESTATE of:

[Empty box for estate name]

PETITION TO OPEN SMALL ESTATE

14 V.S.A. Ch. 81

_____ was a resident of _____
Decedent Town/State

and died on _____ leaving personal property valued at \$45,000 or less and no real estate.

- Decedent left: [] no known Last Will and Testament OR [] Last Will and Testament dated [] Codicil(s) to the Will, if any, dated

Attached are:

- 1. Entry fee; checks or money orders payable to Vermont Superior Court
2. Certified copy of the death certificate
3. List of Interested Persons (form 700-00002)
4. ORIGINAL Will and any Codicils (if any)
5. Notarized inventory of assets at cash value as of the date of death (form 700-00030)
6. Copy of paid funeral bill (or bond as required by the Court).

Petitioner requests a small estate be opened and the following named person be appointed to administer the estate:

Proposed Executor/Administrator
Mailing Address
Telephone / Email

[] This is the person named as executor in the Will.

ACCEPTANCE OF APPOINTMENT

I accept the appointment as Executor/Administrator and ask that the appointment documents be issued to me at the address above.

Date Signature of Executor/Administrator

CONSENT OF INTERESTED PERSONS

We, the heirs at law of the decedent, consent to the Allowance of the Will, if any, the Petition to Open Decedent’s Estate and the appointment of the above as Executor/Administrator.

I acknowledge I have been served with the Petition to Open Decedent’s Estate in the above entitled action, including all papers referred to in the Petition. I waive the right to object to any action of the Court, regarding the Petition referred to above, and I waive the requirements for a Hearing regarding such Petition.

Unless all heirs consent to the allowance of the Will, if any, and the appointment of the above names as Executor/Administrator, the Court will hold a hearing.

Signature	Print Name	Date
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
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_____	_____	_____

Petitioner’s signature must be notarized.

_____	_____
<i>Date</i>	<i>Signature of Petitioner – IF NOT EXECUTOR .ADMINISTRATOR NAME ABOVE</i>

<i>Mailing Address</i>	
_____	/ _____
<i>Telephone</i>	<i>Email</i>

Signed and sworn to before me:

Date	Signature of Notary Public	Expiration Date
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